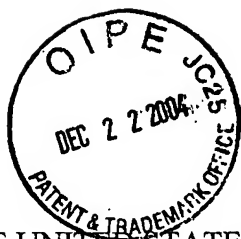


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In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: P. B. Kim
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	:	Group Art Unit: 2851
Application No.: 10/601,553)	
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For: SCANNING EXPOSURE APPARATUS AND)	December 22, 2004
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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGE

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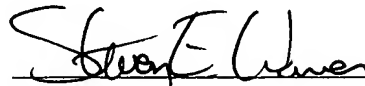
Applicant requests that the Examiner approve the change to Figure 10, as shown in red on the attached sketch, enclosed in duplicate.

In Figure 10, in the rectangular box on the right-hand side of the flow chart, "AMOUNG" should read -- AMOUNT --, as shown.

Favorable consideration is requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010 All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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